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MAILS DEPART:

7:25 a. m. For Omaha and intermediate points, and all points north, east and west.
9:10 a. m. For St. Joseph and intermediate points.
12:00 m. For all points south, east and west, except Tarkio and Villisca branches.
1:50 p. m. For all points north, west and east.
4:30 p. m. For Villisca, north, mail to all points north, east, south and west, except intermediate between Forest City and St. Joe.
7:30 p. m. For all points north, south, east and west.

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Leave Oregon at 7:25 a. m. and return at 8:55 a. m.
Leave Oregon at 4:30 p. m. and return at 6:00 p. m.

MAILS ARRIVE.

8:55 a. m. Omaha—Mails from all points, north, east, south and west.
10:35 a. m. Villisca and Tarkio Valley branches. Mails from north, east, south and west.
1:35 p. m. Mail from all points north, west and east.
3:15 p. m. Main line K. C., St. Joe & C. B. Mails from all points, north, south, east and west.
6:05 p. m. From St. Joseph.
9:30 a. m. Rural Route No. 1, leaves. Returns at 4:30 p. m.
9:30 a. m. Rural Route No. 2, leaves. Returns at 4:30 p. m.
9:30 a. m. Rural Route No. 3, leaves. Returns at 4:30 p. m.
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OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Circuit Court.

Convenes first Monday in January; fourth Mondays in April and August.
William C. Ellison, circuit judge.
Henry T. Alkire, prosecuting attorney.
Edwin A. Dunham, clerk.
A. R. McNulty, sheriff.
Harry M. Irwin, stenographer.

Probate Court.

Convenes second Mondays in February, May, August and November.
D. W. Porter, probate judge.

County Court.

Regular Terms: First Mondays in February, May, August and November.
Henry E. Wright, presiding judge.
Philip Schlotzhauer, judge 1st district.
Francis J. Gaskill, judge 2d district.
Frank L. Zeller, clerk of county court.

County Board of Health.

Henry E. Wright, president.
Philip Schlotzhauer, vice-president.
Francis J. Gaskill, 2d district.
C. L. Evans, county physician.
Frank L. Zeller, secretary.

County Board of Education.

Geo. W. Reavis, Oregon.
W. F. Gwinn, Mound City.
Mollie Palmer, Craig.

Collector of Revenue, Geo. F. Seeman.
County Treasurer, Neville Dickson.
Recorder of Deeds, John M. Hibbard.
Commissioner of Schools, Geo. W. Reavis.
Public Administrator, M. D. Walker.
Superintendent of Poor, Reuben Carson.
Surveyor, John H. Peret.
Assessor, Perry W. Ramsay.
Coroner, Roy R. Miller, Maitland.

Holt County population, 17,083.
State tax, 10c on \$100 valuation.
County tax, 30c on \$100 valuation.
County road tax, 10c on \$100 valuation.
Average school tax levy, 47c per \$100 valuation.

County created by act of legislature, January 29, 1841.

County named for Daniel Rice Holt, of Platte County.

Oregon, County Seat, created by act of legislature, June 21, 1841.
Population, 1,001.

Assessable wealth, \$6,616,670.
Assessable wealth, lands, town lots and personal, \$6,616,670.
Lands, 3,813,320.
Town lots, 798,380.
Live stock, 697,840.
Other personal, 1,307,150.

Total, \$6,616,670.
Oregon, county seat.
Electric lighted.
Waterworks system.
City tax, 75c on \$100.
School tax, 75c on \$100.

WANTED—FAITHFUL PERSON TO TRAVEL for well established house in a few counties, calling on retail merchants and agents. Local territory. Salary \$100 a year and expenses advanced. Position permanent. House successful and thriving. Standard House, 324 Dearborn St. Chicago.

HERE DURING HOLIDAYS.

They Came From Far and Near to Pass Christmas and the Holidays at Home.

Sam O'Fallon was here with his family.

Milton Moore, of Kansas City, was here with his parents.

Jones Hostetter and Mont Roeker, of Omaha, visited with home-folks.

Carl Greene, of Charles City, Iowa, visited with his mother and brother.

Frank Lynch, of Wathena, Kansas, visited with his wife and little daughter.

Miss Bonnie Brodbeck visited with James Lasalle and family, near Maitland.

Philip Markt, wife and children visited with her parents in Barada, Nebraska.

Clarence Stith, of Severance, Kansas, was at home with his brothers and sister.

Mrs. Charlotte Bryant, of Newton, Iowa, visited her brother, Hugh G. Harsha.

Otto Fuhrman, attending a business college at Chillicothe, visited his parents.

George Poynter and family, of Bigelow, were the guests of numerous relatives.

Mrs. Allie Hasness, of Fairfax, visited with her son, Harry and family and other relatives.

Mabel Dillon, of Chillicothe, visited her mother and her sisters, Mrs. J. L. Dillon and family.

Grant Holtz and children, Lee and Justine, were the guests of his mother, Mrs. K. G. Holtz.

Ed. Buntz and wife, and daughter Wava, of Navarre, Ohio, are here visiting James Buntz and family.

Rev. A. D. Seelig and wife, of Grant City, visited with father and mother, G. W. Cummins and wife.

James Buntz, wife and daughter Marjorie, were Christmas diners with Father and Mother Buntz, of Mound City.

Leonard Botkin, Muri Hurst, Mercer Hinde, Sam Morgan, Kansas City veterinary school, visited with relatives.

Mrs. Lulu Ryan, formerly Miss Lulu Chaddock, of this city, but now of Skidmore, was the guest of relatives.

Prof. Claud Rader and family, of Kansas City, visited with their parents, Elder D. T. Roberts and family, of New Point.

Miss Mae Zachman, teacher in the high school, at Liberty, this state, visited with her parents, Henry Zachman and wife.

Eldon Evans, Loyd Thatcher, Ray Stevenson, Homer Kelley and Adolph Geil, of State University, Columbia, here here with relatives.

Foster Taylor and sisters, Ethel and Grace, of the Missouri Wesleyan college, Cameron, visited their parents, Rev. T. C. Taylor and wife.

Mrs. Minnie Moore, Matron of the Missouri Wesleyan college, Cameron, accompanied by her son, Graham, visited her mother, Mrs. K. G. Holtz.

Mrs. Mary Evans-Wehn and husband, M. L. Wehn, of Broadwater, Nebraska, visited with her father and mother, Dr. C. L. Evans and wife.

Lewis Opel, of Canada, gave a nice surprise to his father and mother, by coming in the flesh and blood and spending the holidays with them.

Dr. Charles Simpson and wife, of Yates Center, Kansas, visited with their parents, Sam J. Simpson and wife, and Silas P. Hersher and wife.

Mrs. George W. Donovan, of Rock Port, visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. Scott Hodgins, of Oregon, and her father and brother, William and Eber Atkins, of near New Point.

James Thuma, James Carder and wife, J. H. Larke and family, Harry Jones, Miss Esther Welty, Everett King and Miss Ruth Moore, all of St. Joseph, visited here with relatives.

Elmer Cordrey, was at home with his parents in Forbes township, Jas. Cordrey and wife. He will return this week to Council Bluffs, Iowa, where he is in the employ of the Union Pacific Railway.

Little Gideon Kunkel, III, but who is not so very small now, of Anadarko, Oklahoma, but now a student of the Missouri State University, visited his sister, Mrs. Alice Proud, and numerous other relatives.

Mrs. Roxie Roecker and children, of Broken Bow, Neb., visited her parents, A. H. Bailey, wife and family. They also entertained their son, Dr. Ben H. Bailey, who is practicing dentistry at Anadarko, Oklahoma.

Omer and Dave Butts, of near Maitland, sons of Joseph H. Butts, were here, visiting their aunt, Mrs. Henry Cook and other relatives.

Omer is now located in South Dakota, where he is engaged in mining and other enterprises.

James Brohan, with the Great

COMING!

TO THE GEM THEATRE
THURSDAY, DEC. 29

THE LOCKES

Present the Delightful Comedy-Drama in 4 Acts and 40 Laughs and Several Tears

THE GIRL & THE GAWK

THE BRIGHTEST, CLEANEST, PUREST, SWEETEST, ODDEST, MOST PECULIAR PLAY

Complete Production with Beautiful Scenery and Electrical Effects

An Excellent Cast Headed By Clever

LOCKE AMUSEMENT

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PRICES--25, 35 & 50.



Western R. R., with headquarters in St. Joseph, accompanied by his brother, Hugh, Jr., who is carpentering there, were with father and mother, Hugh Brohan, wife and family of the Mayflower school district.

Ralph Greene, of Muscogee, Oklahoma, is here, who with his family are visiting his parents, A. H. Greene and wife. When Ab first came to this country in 1867 there was only one to answer roll call, and now, December 30, 1910, 19 answer. How is this for multiplying and replenishing?

Charles Tritt, son of J. D. Tritt, formerly of this county, but for several years a resident of Newburg, Pennsylvania, was here with his uncles and aunts and cousins, the Derrs and Gelvins. Charlie has not been at his home in Pennsylvania since last July, a year ago, and is now teaching in Fairview, South Dakota.

Circle Club Entertains.

One of the most enjoyable of the holiday functions was the dance given by the Circle Club at the opera house, Monday evening, and some thirty couples answered the invitations, the ladies appearing in exquisite costumes for the occasion, while all of the gentlemen donned their very best. The opera house was elaborately decorated for the occasion in pleasing harmony with the elegant gowns worn, and it is evident that the chief decorator, Dr. Whittmer, had been put in touch as to what the ladies would wear—bachelors are noted for this however. Mrs. Charles Koock most graciously filled her responsibilities as the Club's chaperone, and George Zeller, as polite as the French dancing master, as master of ceremonies. Favors were used as substitutes for programs, and the gentlemen were kept busy by the demands made upon them by the ladies, and when the "good night" waltz was called, the laps of their coats resembled the return of the "convention." A shower bath of confetti was given to the dancers as they whirled through the last number. The arrangement for this pleasing feature would have to be seen to be appreciated—Dr. Jonas Whittmer, patentee.

The honors of the evening, as the most graceful dancers were conferred upon Miss Ina Botkin and Mr. Lloyd Thatcher.

The guests of the Club were Harold Kahn and Robert Brown, of Bigelow; Miss Minton, of Fortescue; Lena and Madge Boyd, of Forest City; Charles Simpson and wife, Yates Center, Kansas; Jones Hostetter and Mr. Hutchins, of Omaha.

Delightful music was furnished by a St. Joseph orchestra.

"The Girl and the Gawk" is a play rich in humor, yet full of pathos.

Henry A. Bowles, of Burr Oak, made us a pleasant call, this week.

Chas. J. Bruntmeyer, of Forest City, was an Oregon visitor, this week.

Bob Howell, our "village blacksmith," is a very sick man from heart trouble.

W. Weaver has completed a hot water heating equipment for the George Meyer residence.

Whit Maupin of the Sentinel force is confined to his bed from a severe attack of the grippe.

J. L. Anno, of the Burr Oak neighborhood, was looking after business interests in Oregon, Wednesday of this week.

Pure Bred Plymouth Rock Cockerels for sale. Call on or address, Mrs. Ben Crouser, Oregon, Mo., Route 5, Martin Phone, 17 South.

Obituary.

Rebecca Whip was born in Bedford county, Pa., April 24, 1843; died in New Point, Mo., December 19, 1910.

In April, 1861, she was married to John W. Thorp, and to this union were born five children—Harvey, who died in infancy, and Mary A., now Mary A. Hannin, of St. Joseph, Mo. The husband enlisted in the civil war, serving honorably, and lost his life in the service.

With her infant daughter she came to Richmond county, O., when on February 28, 1887, she was united in marriage to W. P. Hardman. To this union was born five children, two of whom, Alonzo and Albert, have gone before; Shannon, of Stanford, Mont.; Daisy and Pearl, of the same place, survive. Early in life she became a Christian, and in her humble, quiet way has ever held steadfastly to the faith that was hers.

Her devotion and love for her family and especially her care for her three orphan grandsons, can never be forgotten, and her memory will be cherished by them as a precious heritage. Though many sorrows and trials came into her life she was ever ready to help where help was needed, and there will be many bright stars in her crown for her help in the time of sickness and trouble.

She is survived by her husband, four children, five grandchildren, one sister, three half brothers and a host of relatives and friends. The funeral was preached by Elder F. D. Augustine; the interment was made in the Fairview cemetery, December 20, 1910.

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Christian Church Notes.

A good-sized audience greeted the children of the Christian church Saturday night in their Christmas entertainment. The little folks of the class of Mrs. Will Hinde delighted the audience with their songs and recitations. The feature of the evening among the little folks was a solo sung by little Marion Brookes, accompanied by her sister, Thelma. Music was furnished by the Sunday school. Mrs. R. B. Bridgman sang a solo entitled, "The Worship of the Heart."

The surprise of the evening was a barrel of fine apples presented to the Sunday school by Mr. and Mrs. James Martin. These were enjoyed by all present. There were many presents given and among them was a large, beautiful rocker presented to the pastor and wife by the church and Sunday school. We extend our thanks to all for this.

Sunday school was well attended Sunday morning, and quite a few came in to preaching who did not know that the pastor had been given a half holiday.

Perry Brookes pleased the audience Sunday night by singing a song entitled, "No Room at the Inn." This subject was used for the discourse.

L. I. Moore and family have the thanks of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Dawson for a case of canned corn, which was found on their doorstep Christmas morning.

B. H. DAWSON, Pastor.

Evangelical Church Notes.

The entertainment Christmas eve at the Evangelical church was quite a success. Every one present seemed to enjoy themselves, especially the children. Mrs. Roy Kunkel deserves credit for the success of the evening.

Mrs. G. W. Weidemier and children returned Monday from a visit with her parents at Leavenworth, Kas. While there little Emory fell and fractured his right arm, but is doing nicely.

The meetings at Benton church have been well attended and splendid interest manifested; two conversions so far.

SCHOOL NOTES.

The Pickininy Band—Report for Fourth Month Ending December 23.

(BY E. M. BROOKS, SUPERINTENDENT.)

Room	Enrollment	Attendance	Present every day	Number	Visitors
1	41	39	95	23	1
2	44	41	96	25	1
3	36	35	98	23	4
4	36	34	95	23	0
5	42	41	97	24	4
High School	81	77	96	52	28
Colored	14	11	85	5	6
Total	294	278	96	175	50

The report for the fourth month is good except tardiness. There is an increase in daily attendance, in number present every day and in number of visitors, the Christmas programs accounting for most of the latter. There were 50 cases of tardiness.

While this is not many out of a possible for the month of over 11,000, yet it is more than twice the number of last month and by far the largest number of the year. The high school has the largest number, being more than twice as many as last month. We are always willing to make allowance for unavoidable delays, but we insist that it is possible and necessary for pupils to be at school by the middle of the forenoon. Nine o'clock is late enough to begin so important work as the school day. We hope each pupil will appoint himself or herself a committee of one to be at school on time next month.

School opens again Monday morning. We shall be glad to see each one in place and ready for hard work. The next two weeks are important. All departments and classes will review, closing the work of the semester with written examinations. Work hard on these reviews. You are in school for knowledge, culture, and discipline. We hope every one will pass, but you must show an accurate knowledge of the subjects studied if you get a passing grade.

Those who missed the high school literary program last Friday afternoon missed one of the best numbers of the year. We cannot in this space discuss all the interesting features, each one on the program did well. We must mention one novel and entertaining number, the Pickininy band, which with their motled faces (the blacking was not always evenly distributed) and true pickininy dress presented an amusing aggregation. Prof. Asby Green was bandmaster and under his direction the boys put on a clever stunt and gave us some good music. They were all high school boys, members of the E. S. Thatcher Military band.

Teachers should never be too busy to carefully assign lessons. Pupils need to be guided in the preparation of the lesson. The pupil should be told what to do and how to do it. He will then have enough to do and do well.

Never before has so much attention been paid to the health and proper physical development of the child. This is a good omen, it means a healthier, happier and more progressive people in this country.

"It is better to know a few things well than have an imperfect knowledge of many."—Missouri School Journal.

Church Notice.

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New Point and Vicinity.

Will Terry made a trip to Maitland, Tuesday.

Mildred Acton, of Rosendale, is visiting at home this week.

John Wachtel and family is moving to Rosendale, this week.

Mrs. J. Ruhl spent Christmas with Father and Mother Ruhl.

Burt Venen, and family, ate Christmas dinner at the Central office.

Miss Flossie Boswell was made very happy Christmas, by the gift of a beautiful piano.

Mrs. Kate Kearney and children, and Mrs. Lucy Donovan, are visiting at home this week.

Catharine Terry and Edna Rayhill, went to Oregon, Monday, to visit Mrs. Thomas Kneale.

Dr. Bloomer and family, spent Christmas with J. P. Ruhl and wife, parents of Mrs. Bloomer.

Quite a number of the young people attended the exercises at Fairview Thursday evening, and Nickell's Grove, Friday evening.

Jim Meyer, and family, Mrs. Caldwell, and family, and Thomas Caldwell, ate turkey with Ralph Meyer and family, Christmas.

Thomas Caldwell, of St. Joseph, came up Saturday, and visited his sister-in-law and children, Ralph Meyer and family and Mrs. Terry and family.

No doubt many interesting items are omitted, but we do not "know it all," and if people fail to tell us, we cannot "put their name in the paper."

The Presbyterian Sunday school had their tree and exercises Friday evening, and the Christian Sunday school Saturday evening. Both had good programs and excellent attendance.

Rev. Verkuyle and family, from Michigan, Messrs. Mitchell and Rader, and families, from Kansas City, came to spend Christmas with Rev. T. D. Roberts, and family, and to be present at the marriage of their sister, Pansy.

To the patrons of N. P. Switch board We send these greetings kind: May your Christmas joys be many, And much happiness you find.

May the year of 1911 Be filled with good for you, And success crown every effort, All friends prove kind and true.

And if we still work together, Or our path through life separates, Always remember, your Central Your past kindness appreciates.

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Presbyterian Church Notes.

Sunday was an ideal Christmas day. The morning congregation was small, the evening large.

The Sunday school had their annual Christmas festivities in the form of a most pleasing Cantata, the parts being admirably maintained by the participants, the musical numbers being of a very high order.

Several are sick, but reported improving.

Mrs. Walton has had a set-back, but is again improving.

Mr. Walton had an attack of grippe, but is able to be up.

Miss Elta Greene presided and Hanson Murray led C. E. A good crowd was present and the service interesting.

Program of Week of Prayer, Jan. 1-8:

Sunday morning—"The Open Door." Sunday evening—"Why Should I Join the Church?"